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Blood bank coverage continues

Wilmington will still have blood bank coverage, from the American Red Cross, even though there was a shortage of donors, Saturday, in the Friendship Hall of the Wilmington Methodist Church.

Richard Kimball, executive director of the Lowell Chapter of the American Red Cross has assured the Town Crier of the coverage for people of Wilmington. The bloodmobile failed, if failed is the word, by 46 pints of blood, but Mr. Kimball feels that this blood will be donated for Wilmington by individuals at other places where the bloodmobile visits.

One hundred and ten persons donated a pint of blood apiece, last Saturday. There were more than that number of volunteers, but a number of persons had to be turned away, because of having a cold, or other affliction. Three persons who arrived after 3:45 pm found that they were too late.

The Town Crier, a week ago, said that 200 pints of blood were needed. As it was the number was 195, but unknown to the Town Crier thirty nine persons, donating at other places, had "donated for Wilmington," and the necessary number was thus reduced.

Everyone living in Wilmington is now covered for blood needs, according to Mr. Kimball, and the bloodmobile will probably return in January for more donations.

Wilmington Schools

No change yet in Winter Schedules

As of the School Committee meeting of last Thursday there will be no change in the winter schedules of the Wilmington schools, because of the energy crisis. The Superintendent of Schools is having talks with representatives of the Wilmington Teachers Association, relative to proposals for a change, and he also had some discussion with the principals of the schools.

Steps are being taken to reduce the need of fuel, in heating the school buildings. A week ago new glass windows were put into the Whitefield School, to replace the half-century old windows that were there and the same thing is to happen in the other old buildings of the school system, Supt Pierce told the committee.

Improved weather proofing is the goal - storm windows, plastic covers for windows, or other means, for the Swain School, the Buzzell, the Walker, the Center School (now the Curriculum Center) and the old West School, the committee was told.

At the same time Pierce said that Roy McClanahan, Supt. of Public Buildings was checking with the state Fire Marshall's office to see if changes can be instituted in the regulations about corridor doors, in school buildings. If some of the doors could be left open, to allow for better circulation of air, there could be an improvement in the heating of the schools, Pierce said.

The thermostats are set at 68 degrees, and in some cases at lower readings, in the school rooms, but there are warmer pockets of air, about which nothing can be done. The warm air comes, for instance, from the afternoon sun shining through windows. Mr. Pierce told the school committee that the air, if circulated, would provide a more even distribution, and at a lower energy cost.

Eagle Scout Award for Alan Jensen

THE HIGHEST AWARD IN SCOUTING: the Eagle Badge, was pinned on the uniform of Alan Jensen of 13 Glendale Circle by his mother Phyliss, last Thursday during an Eagle Court of Honor for Troop 56, held in the Congregational Church. At right is William Jensen, Alan's father.

In the next part of the ten part ceremony Alan pinned on his mother a special badge, connoting that she has a son who is an Eagle Scout

KOREAN STUDENT AT WILMINGTON ROTARY

Six hundred students, in countries all around the world are attending universities and colleges of their choice, with the bill being paid by the Rotary Foundation. The student may not be a close relative of a Rotarian, and h3 must study in a country of which he is not a resident. The scholarships are Graduate Fellowships, for one year.

Gill Chin Lim, a graduat3 student of Harvard University, is studying City Planning during the year 1973-74, being sponsored by the Rotary Club of Seoul, Korea.

Gill received his Bachelor of Sci3cce degree from the National University in Seoul, in 1969, after which he was commissioned in the Korean Army, as a second lieutenant.

He was the guest speaker, at the Wilmington Rotary luncheon on November 28th.

GILL CHIN LIM: Rotary Foundation Student, speaking at the Rotary Club of Wilmington on Nov. 28th.

Alderwood Estates III

A playground for all?

Alderwood Estates III is the part of East Wilmington which was taken in the Town Meeting, by eminent domain, last June. There are thirty house lots, many of them underwater, and there are high and dry lots as well. There is also a drainage plan, unapproved by the selectmen.

It is impossible to report fairly all the arguments that took place, but the former Town Engineer, Arthur Harding, told the Town Meeting that the lots were worth, on the average, perhaps $1,000 each. $50,000 was appropriated by the Town Meeting to pay for the land.

One of the unsubstantiated rumors in Wilmington this week is that the former owners, the Drinkwater Brothers of Medford, are asking $8800 apiece for the lots, in their suit against the town. It is enough to give some people shivers, even if a jury cuts the value by 50%, as well it may.

But, the facts are something that will be determined by a jury, and this paper can only report the rumors, as they are born.

There was a report that a skating area was being cleared, in Alderwood Estates III, and a parking lot. The Wilmington Conservation Commission had something to do with it, either in favor or adversly. People at the end of Kenwood Avenue were unhappy, the selectmen were told, because the parking lot, etc. was being made.

Selectman Gillis told the other selectmen that this action was adverse to the town vote. Land taken by the Conservation Commission he said, could only be used for passive sports.

Miceli said it was the property of the entire town, and should be so treated.

Boylen wanted to know why the Conservation Commission was acting as it was. If the land was to be taken for recreation purposes, he said, it should have been taken by the Recreation Committee. The town could still receive the same re-inbursement (50/50) from the state.

He thought the Conservation Commission should leave the land alone.

Wilmington youth held in lieu of $25,000 bail

A Wilmington youth, 20 years old, has been ordered held in $25,000 bail, in Woburn Court, Monday and has been remanded to the Billerica House of Correction in lieu of the bail.

He is charged with assault with intent to murder, indecent assault, kidnapping, and assault and battery. He was arrested by Woburn police on November 12th, three days after the alleged crimes were said to have occured, in a North Woburn parking lot.

At the original arraignment in Woburn Court, three days after the assault on an eight year old girl, Judge Francis P. Cullen ordered the man to be committed to the Bridgewater State Hospital for observation. He was returned to Woburn Court Monday, but the result of the examination was not made public. His case, Monday, was continued to trail on December 17th.

Reports say that the girl, from North Reading, had become separated from her parents, who were shopping. It is reported that she was abducted about 8:30 pm in the midst of the shopping area and taken to the rear of the stores, where the alleged attacks took place.

The Energy Crunch has hit the Highway Department

The Wilmington Highway Department isn't exactly inactive, but there aren't any of the big trucks out on the road. It's because of the energy crunch. The department is to get only 75% of the gas it got last winter, and the Town Manager is saving that gas for snow plowing.

Highway Department employees are riding around, to and from work, in the little trucks - the pickup kind. Three in the front seat, and if more are travelling in the same direction, then the rest in the back. There are no EEA employees - those extra men who were working last summer under a federal work program. That program has been finished, for the year.

Eight big dump trucks, two sanders and a catch basin truck are laid up in the Town Garage, off Andover Street, awaiting the oncoming snow storms of this winter.

Those big trucks are gas eaters. There are two fifty gallon tanks to each truck - one on each side. The trucks average four miles to the gallon, under ordinary working conditions. When they are plowing - then it's one mile to a gallon.

And that is the reason the gas is being saved.

Trucks in the Wilmington Department garage. They will stay there until the time comes to start plowing snow.

Planning Board wants Woburn St. 70 feet wide

The Wilmington Planning Board would like to see the Board of Selectmen lay out a road that would be 70 feet wide, for Woburn Street, south of its junction with Eames Street.

The present layout, which dates back to 1870, is fifty feet wide. "Layout" does not mean just the travelled way, but the sidewalk if any, and land within the street area that is not used.

Authur Harding, chairman of the Planning Board, told other members in the Tuesday night meeting that he had discussed Woburn Street widths, in the past with Prof. Charles Eliot, Planning ConEultant, and that both of them agreed a 70 foot width for Woburn Street would be desirable, or, if that was impossible, a 60 foot width. This would allow, Harding said, for two lanes of traffic and a parking lane, at least, in addition to ten feet for a sidewalk.

Mr. Harding, who was once the Town Engineer of Wilmington, had prepared sketches of how he thought the new Woburn Street By-Pass should be, and was discussing that sketch with other members of the Planning Board. It was his belief that Eames Street should be widened to a 60 foot right of way, and the By-Pass should have an eighty foot right of way.

There will be a discussion of the widths, and the proposed takings later this month, presumable to prepare an article for the March Town Meeting. Mr. Harding, if he has time, will calculate the area of the proposed takings of land, for the new By-Pass.

The Planning Board is preparing to talk with Thomas Associates, consultant who is doing a study of the area, about street and industrial zoning specifications - to "beef them up" in the words of member Bob Leahy.

The board also decided to take action in enlarging the duties of the Board of Appeals, so that it may act as a Sub-Division Board of Appeals under the provisions of Chapter 81Z, General Laws.

The board also wants to prepare an amendment to the Town By-Laws, having to do with signs. It is writing a note to the Town Counsel, asking for proper procedure in both instances.

Jackson Brothers

The Planning Board received from the Jackson Brothers, builders, a written report on their actions and engineering costs, relative to the large water area found last summer, near the B&M RR, north of Elmwood Village. The report is to be read at a later date.

Fred Jackson told the Planning Board that it took 50 truckloads of large boulders to fill that portion of the hole which was in the area near the housing development. robert Leahy said he had visited the area last Sunday and inspected it.

The board voted to return bank books to the Jackson Brothers covering costs of streets etc., already in place, in the area north of Elmwood Village, to the value of $38,500.

Marjorie Road

A brief comment, by the Town Engineer, said that the work on Marjorie Road, during the past season, where the town was trying to improve drainage conditions, he had found the peat to be 20 feet deep.

Festival of Music December 13

On Thursday, December 13th at 7:30 pm in the Barrows Auditorium at Wilmington High School, a Winter Festival of Music will be presented featuring the Elementary Concert Band, the Shawsheen School Chorus and the Elementary String Ensemble. Over two hundred students will present outstanding selections of instrumental and choral literature.

The Elementary Concert Band comprised of students in grades four through six has thrilled audiences in the past and on this occasion promises to present their most ambitious and varied effort.

The Shawsheen School boasts a chorus of one hundred and thirdy members. Their voices are sweet, their number is awesome, and their enthusiasm is gratifying and heartwarming.

Since September, a new organization has blossomed from the Music Education Department's adoption of a string program. Thus, on Thursday evening, December 13th, the Elementary String Ensemble will present their first public performance,

Admission is to be fifty cents for the benefit of the Music Scholarship Fund. Tickets may be obtained at the door and children under twelve will be admitted free of charge.

The program is to be presented under the direction of the Music Department staff including: Mr. DeGrazia, Miss Kalil, Mrs. Stultz; Miss Foye and Miss Jackson, Director of Music Education.

FREDERICK S. LOSPENNATO: Of Littleton, has been promoted to Assistant Vice President of the Commercial Bank and Trust Company of Wilmington. Mr. Lospennato will continue to work out of the Bank's main office, located at 240 Main St., Wilmington.

Mr. Lospennato is a graduate of Williams College School of Banking, Class of 1966 and there he received his certificate. He is an active member of the Wilmington Lions Club and served as chairman of the Wilmington Cancer Crusade of 1973 for which he was presented a Certificate for Meritorious Service. Jamesway Studio

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Wednesday, December 12, 9:00 am to 10:00 pm

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Deaths

CHARLES R. KAIZER, SR. DIED IN NOVA SCOTIA

Charles R. Kaizer, Sr., formerly of Wilmington, of Chapel Road, Canning, Nova Scotia died unexpectedly on Saturday in Nova Scotia. Mr. Kaizer, who was 70 years of age at the time of his death, was born in Halifax, the son of the late Sidney W. and the late Ida May (Pentz) Kaizer. Mr. Kaizer had been a resident of Wilmington for over 40 years, having lived on Lawn Street prior to moving to Nova cotia five years ago. Prior to his retirement, he had been employed by the maintenance department of Raffi & Swanson Company, Wilmington. He was a late member of Friendship Lodge AF & AM Wilmington.

Mr. Kaizer is survived by his wife, Mrs. Grace P. (Brownell) Kaizer, his two sons: Sidney R. of Wilmington and Charles R., of Tewksbury, his two daughters, Mrs. Beatrice I. Chapman of Oakland, Maine and Mrs. Eleanor E. Young of Wilmington; his sister, Miss Lillian W. Kaizer of Wilmington; also his 13 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main St., Wilmington on Wedneaday at 1 pm with the Rev. Willis P. Miller of the United Methodist Church, Wilmington officiating. Burial took place in Puritan Lawn Cemetery, Peabody.

MARY A. QUENNAN FORMERLY OF WILMINGTON

Mary A. Quennan of 35 Quannapowitt Ave., Wakefield passed away suddenly on November 28th.

Many years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Quennan and son Jack, were residents of lower Woburn Street, their home having been located on property now owned by Nova Devices.

Mrs. Quennan is survived by her husband, John Quennan of Wakefield; her son John J. Quennan of Wakefield and her daughter Elizabeth Smith of Wilmington Delaware and her sister, Mrs. Betty Tebeau of Cook Ave., Wilmington.

Funeral services were conducted from the Morrison Funeral Home in Wakefield on Friday, November 30th followed by a Funeral Mass in St. Joseph's Church at 9 am.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MARY M. ROSSELLI

Mrs. Mary Magdalene Rosselli, of 6 Randolph Road, Wilmington died at Bon Secours Hospital, Methuen on Monday evening following a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Rosseli, who was born in Woburn, on September 13, 1920, was the daughter of Mrs. Mary Magdalene (Ethier) and the late Christopher J. Bousfield. She had resided in Wilmington the greater part of her life; having been a graduate of Wilmington High School. In later years she was employed by the Sylvania Corp., GT&E of Waltham.

Mrs. Rosseli is survived by her two children: Joseph T. and Judith rosselli both of Wilmington; her mother, Mrs. Mary M. Bousfield of Wilmington; her sister, Mrs. Robert J. (Virginia) Carpenter of Wilmington and her brother, Christopher A. Bousfield.

Funeral services were held at the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street, Wilmington on Friday, November 30th with Father Leo Shea, MM, officiating. Burial took place in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

CHARLES B. MAcDONALD WAS 73

Charles B. MacDonald, a resident of Billerica for over 40 years passed away suddenly on Sunday, December 2nd at Choate Memorial Hospital. Mr. MacDonald is survived by his wife Bessie P. (Robers), and was the father of Roger B. MacDonald of Roberts Road, Wilmington; Charles M. of Mill Street, Burlington and Mrs. Marilyn J. Money of Maryland. Ten grandchildren also survive.

Mr. MacDonald was born in boston 73 years ago, and was a supervisor with the Payne Elevator co. of Cambridge until his retirement. He was a member and a Past Master of Friendship Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Wilmington.

Funeral servces were held from the Nichols Funeral Home, 187 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington on Wednesday, December 5th at 2:00 pm, with the Rev. Kenneth Ornell of St. Marks Episcopal Church of Burlington officiating. Burial will take place in Fox Hill Cemetery, Billerica.

FR. RICHARD MAHONEY WAS OBLATE MISSIONARY

The Rev. Richard L. Mahoney, OMI, a member of the Order of Oblates of Mary Immaculate, died November 29 at the Tewksbury Oblate novitiate.

Born in Lowell, he was the son of the late Patrick J. and the late Bridget (Reilly) Mahoney. Fr. Mahoney was educated in Lowell public schools, including Lowell High School, and attended Canisius College in Buffalo, N.Y., the Oblate Novitiate in Tewksbury and the Oblate College in Washington, D.C.

He took perpetual vows in 1926 in Washington, D.C., and was ordained June 10, 1929 in that city by Bishop John McNamara.

His assignments include Sacred Heart parish in Colorado Springs, Colo.; chaplain at Tewksbury State Hospital; assistant missionary at Sacred Heart parish in Lowell. He was also a missionary in Essex, N.Y., Grand Rapids, Mich., Gary, Ind., Jefferson, Ohio, and in Tewksbury. He was assistent at St. Michael's parish in Lowell from 1968 until his death.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. John (Helen) Cahill of Manchester; and two brothers, William E. Mahoney of Tampa, Fla., and Patrick J. Mahoney, Jr., of Costa Mesa, Calif.

HOSPITAL FUND SEASONS' GREETINGS

For several years now, it has been the practice of some to send Christmas greetings to their friends and neighbors via the Wilmington Hospital Fund. It is hoped that this practice will be continued this year and that even more will take part.

The Hospital Fund Committee will be most grateful for all contributions.

Hospital Fund

Lillian Woodside has extended her apologies to everyone who looked for and didn't find the Hospital Fund listing in last week's Town Crier. She took a little vacation last week, and when she should have been working on the Fund, she was irresponsibly dozing in the operating room at Winchester Hospital. Mrs. Woodside returned to her Roberts Road home on Tuesday morning and submitted her listing on Wednesday:

Friends, relatives and loved ones honored by contributions in their memory to the Wilmington Regional Hospital Building Fund, this week, include:

Judy Klimarchuk Tenney, lovingly remembered and sadly missed by her Klimarchuk Family.

Cherrie Fillistowicz (Dracut) age 18 from Mr. and Mrs. Kazimer Zengilowski.

Mary Courtney (Medford) mother of Atty. Joseph Courtney from Mrs. Wavie M. and Grace E. Drew.

Mary Courtney (Medford) mother of Atty. Joseph Courtney from Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Woodside.

Herman Bischoff (Florida) formerly of Tewksbury, from Acacia Chapter No. 80, Order of the Eastern Star.

Roland A. Girouard, father of Miss Yolande Girouard from the Rusco Products Co. of boston.

Rose M. Palmer, sister of Rocco DePasquale, from Mr. and Mrs. Paul MacMullin.

Rose M. Palmer, sister of Rocco DePasquale, from Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Woodside.

Rose M. Palmer, sister of Rocco DePasquale, from Leo M. Woodside.

Rose M. Palmer, sister of Rocco DePasquale, from Miss Janet E. Silvey (Malden).

Rose M. Palmer, sister of Rocco DePasquale from George and Marilyn West.

Ervin C. Tracy from Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Cox (Georgia).

Alice H. McLean, mother of Frank McLean, from The Shawsheen Valley Regional vocational Technical School District Committee.

Alice H. McLean, mother of Frank from General Services Administration-Quality Control Division.

Mary Ellen Perry from Emile's Girls, Pleasure Lanes.

Mark F. McCauley, Sr. (Somerville) from Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Barboza.

Jane Anne Hogg, mother of Douglas Hogg from: Mr. and Mrs. James Fairweather, Mr. and Mrs. George West, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lauziere, Mrs. Margaret and Joan Newcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Matthews, Mrs. Theresa Castine, Mrs. Helen McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Porter.

Jane Anne Hogg, mother of Douglas Hogg from: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCue, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hickley, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bradbury, Mr. and Mrs. Andre LeFave, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curley, Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Hills, Mr. and Mrs. David Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Romolo Marasco, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shelley, Edward Shelley and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Gaskill.

Mary Magdalene Rosselli, mother of Judith Rosselli from Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Woodside.

Dennis Lee Campbell on his fourth anniversary in Heaven, lovingly remembered and sadly missed by his mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Leland E. Campbell.

Alice M. Allen, mother of Frankline Allen, from Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chapin (Reading).

James Henry O'Brien (Arlington) brother of Miss Ann O'Brien from Mr. and Mrs. John DeAvignon.

Elizabeth McNamara, mother of Ray McNamara, from The Charles P. Nickerson Family.

Elizabeth McNamara, mother of Ray McNamara, from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Stone.

Gladys L. Swenson, lovingly remembered on her birthday, by her husband, children and grandchildren, The Otto G. Swenson Family.

Mary Queenan (Wakefield) from the Wilmington Golden Age Club.

William T. Babcock, Sr. (Melrose) from Mrs. Lucy Johnson.

Births

CASEY: Ellen Alice, second child, first daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Casey of 33 Nichols Rd., Tewksbury on November 20th at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hudson of Oxford Rd., Wilmington.

CREETH: Eric John, first child to Mr. and Mrs. John Creeth, III of 10 Biggar Ave., Wilmington on November 28th at Melrose-Wakefield Hospital.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bailey of Hampstead, New Hampshire and Mr. and Mrs. John Creeth Jr. of Willet St., Quincy.

FORTES: Mary Jo to Mr. and Mrs. John Fortes of 17 Salem St., Wilmington on November 19th at St. John's Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sordillo of South Boston.

LUNDGREN: David, second child, first son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Lundgren of 4 Rockvale Rd., Tewksbury on November 21st at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents include Mrs. Mildred Holland of 35 Winter St., Woburn and Mrs. Eunice Lundgren of 15 Minot St., Woburn.

Church Services

WILMINGTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The Rev. George B. Taylor, III Minister. 658-2264 or 658-3801

Sun. Dec. 9th: 11 am, worship service, the augumented Church Choir will present special Christmas music; 9:30 am, Church school grades four thru 12 and adult Bible class; 11 am, Kinderkirk thru grade three; 4 pm, Fellowship Christmas Party for handicapped children; 7 pm, Sunday evening Vesper service and hymn sing.

Thurs. Dec. 6th: 9:30 am, Bible study; 7 pm, Senior choir rehearsal; 7:30 pm, Diet Workshop.

Fri. Dec. 7th: 3:30 pm, Junior Choir rehearsal; 7 pm, Mid-week worship service and Bible study at the Parsonage.

Sat. Dec. 8th: 2 pm, Senior choir rehearsal; 10 am to 4 pm, Cadette Girl Scout Troop 389 Fair in the Vestry.

Tues. Dec. 11th: 8 pm, Missions and social action committee.

Wed. Dec. 12th: 8 pm, Church council; 7 pm, Senior choir rehearsal.

ST. THOMAS CHURCH

Masses: Vigil Masses at 4 and 5:30 pm on Saturday, Sunday masses at 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 am and 12 noon.

Baptisms: The first and third Sundays of the month at 2 pm. Please phone in information previously.

Youth Center: Open as usual on Friday evenings and Saturday from 8 to 11.

WILMINGTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The Rev. Willis P. Miller, Minister, 658-4519 or 658-8217.

Thurs. Dec. 6th: 7:30 pm, Choir rehearsal; 7:30 Bible Study.

Fri. Dec. 7th: 8 pm, Bible Study at Lawlor's.

Sat. Dec. 8th: 12:30 Play rehearsal, Christmas

Sun. Dec. 9th: 9:30 am, Morning Worship, Church School, nursery through eighth grade and Exceptional children; 11 am, Morning Worship; Church school grades nine through 12 and adults; 6 pm, MYF grades seven through 12 and Prayer group.

Mon. Dec. 10th: 10 am, Billerica Bible Study; 7:30 pm, Education (Board of Review for God and Country candidates).

Tues. Dec. 11th: 10 am, Bible Study at Lawlor's; 7:15 pm, Finance.

Wed. Dec. 12th: 9:30 am, Bible Study; 7:30 pm, Trustees.

BITS & PIECES

The American Legion Auxiliary country Store held last Saturday at Legion Hall in Wilmington has been deemed a success. Prize winners at the event included: Nancy Cole of Brand Ave., a white afghan; Kay Maynard of Grant St., a pink afghan and Audrey Murray of Wildwood St., was awarded a basket of fruit.

According to reports, police were dispatched to the Shawsheen Ave., construction site in Wilmington last weekend to settle a more than spirited argument between two gentlemen who couldn't decided upon the ownership of a sizeable log of wood. The men were collection firewood at the time the incident took place.

Members of Cadette Girl Scout Troop No. 389 will conduct their annual fair at the Congregational Church Vestry in Wilmington between 10 am and 4 pm on Saturday, December 8th.

Following 47 years of service with American Optical Cool Ray Co. in Chelsea, Fred Worby of Middlesex Ave., Wilmington has retired. A party in his honor was held on Saturday, December 1st at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allard of Cedarcrest Road. Approximately 20 friends and relatives were on hand to join in the festivities and Mr. Worby was presented with a portable bar and many humorous gifts.

The Wilmington Crusader Jrs. Drum & Bugle Corps will be conducting a door to door Christmas candy sale on Sunday, December 9th. Proceeds will be used to purchase mu h needed equipment.

Wilmington Golden Agers who will be observing birthdays soon include: Mrs. Eva Brandt of Washington Ave., on December 10th; Mrs. Amy Malone of Mass. Ave. on December 11th; Otto Swenson of Adams St., also on December 11th and Mrs. Marguerite Rossetti of Woodside Ave., on December 12th.

Mrs. Lil Esielionis of Ridge Rd., Wilmington has returned home following surgery. Mrs. Esielionis is finding time a little heavy on her hands and would be delighted to hear from all of her friends.

William Gustus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Gustus of 16 Brand Ave., Wilmington was among the 31 letter winners on the 1973 Cardinal football team at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn. Awards were made last week at the annual Callahan Memorial Fall Sports Banquet, honoring members of the university's autumn athletic teams.

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CARD OF THANKS

The Family of Ripley C. Miller wish to express gratitude to all friends and neighbors for the many expressions of sympathy during our recent loss.

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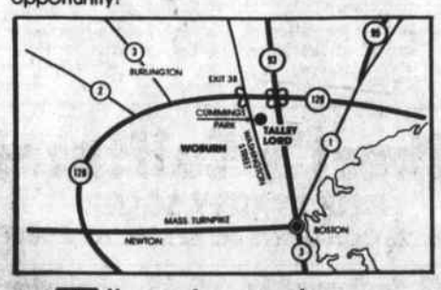

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The new legislative session will begin January 2, 1974. Senator MacKenzie is looking forward to the new legislative year.

Law enforcement Program for teenagers

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Thursday: Baked Chicken, Rich Brown Gravy, Whipped Potato, Buttered Mixed Vegetables, Hot Buttered Roll, Cookie and Milk - or - Fruit Juice, Barbecued Beef on a Buttered Roll, Buttered Mixed Vegetables, Cookie and Milk.

Friday: Mock Scallops, Tartar Sauce, Whipped Potato, Creamy Cole Slaw, Hot Buttered Roll, Ice Cream and Milk - or - New England Clam Chowder, Tuna Fish Salad on a Buttered Roll, Garden Salad, Ice Cream and Milk.

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Tuesday: Chilled Juice, Mini-Submarine, Frosted Gold Cake and Milk.

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Thursday: Meat Loaf, Brown Gravy, Whipped Potato, Buttered Corn, Rolls and Butter, Tewksbury Tweets and Milk.

Friday: Orange Juice, Tuna Salad Roll, Carrot and Celery Sticks, Ice Cream and Milk.

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Wednesday: Juice, Cheeseburger on Buttered Roll, Fluffy Rice, Shoestring Carrots, Jello with Topping and Milk.

Thursday: Baked Sausage, Applesauce, Mashed Potato, Whole Kernel corn, French Bread and Butter, Ice Cream and Milk.

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Citizens must help in Tewksbury rezoning

Tewksbury's planning board and citizens advisory committee (C.A.C) for the master plan are actively studying rezoning proposals to be presented to the 1974 town meeting. These will apparently include several quite different from those placed in a warrant article voted down 499-163 by the 1973 town meeting.

Most members of the planning board and C.A.C. agree zoning proposals considered by voters earlier this year shouldn't have been included in one, all inclusive article. This prompted many residents to vote against the entire article rather than taking the time to amend it to drop zoning changes they disliked. As a result of officials' recognition of this fact, they agree any zoning proposals they lay before voters next March will be included in separate articles. Then what voters consider the good won't go down with what they consider the bad.

It is to be hoped that many private citizens will begin insuring now that unfavorable zoning changes aren't placed before the 1973 town meeting. Even though the proposals may be presented separately, it is too easy for emotions to rise high enough over one, unfavorable proposal, that voters might kill the rest of them, even though many might clearly benefit the town's and their own welfare.

Had voters taken an interest in rezoning prior to the 1973 town meeting, much of Tewksbury might now be zoned in ways that would better safeguard homeowners and businessmen against the excesses of poor zoning. Unfortunately, few voters took such an interest last winter. Officials held a long series of meetings covered by the press, but attracted few residents who aided them in planning rezoning. Then town fathers were aghast when without warning they met an avalanche of opposition on the town meeting floor, when it was too late to intelligently change their zoning proposals.

Large portions of Tewksbury desperately need to be rezoned. Many residents who live on quiet streets lined with private homes are unaware present zoning could easily allow a boiler making factory next door to them. An owner of a greenhouse, certainly a desirable business in any community, could easily learn one day that an ugly, pollution creating industrial plant that endangers his plants has been constructed beside his outdoor displays.

Now is the time to prevent such occurances. New homeowners and businessmen can insure new zoning in Tewksbury offers them a continuation of the good lives they've had so far in the community. If they don't, they may very well see the quality of life and value of their property in Tewksbury deteriorate because of obsolete or ill planned zoning. They can get their first shot at safeguarding their future welfare by attending the next joint meeting of the planning board and C.A.C. and voicing their opinions on zoning changes.

Anthony Bazzinotti is to be Shawsheen Voke Tech Chairman

Anthony Bazzinotti 134 Charles Drive, Tewksbury, has been appointed to the newly created position of Technical Department Chairman, in the Shawsheen Valley Technical High School, and John Judge, of Derry, New Hampshire, has been appointed Academic Department chairman.

Their goals are to achieve standards of excellence in the technical and academic areas for the students, who man then derive the greatest technical, academic and personal benefit from the learning experience.

Bazzinotti, who was formerly a Machine Shop instructor at Shawsheen Tech, is the father of five children, ranging in age from five to 17. He worked at Shawsheen Tech prior to its opening in September 1970, coordinating and supervising the purchase of all equipment and furnishings for the school. Once the facility opened, in 1970, Bazzinotti became Machine Shop Instructor.

Prior to his appointment at Shawsheen Tech he worked at ITEK in Burlington as a technical coordinator in the mechanical assembly department for the exploit systems division. It was there that he became aware that many employees would have benefitted from a formal background in their particular trade but "there wasn't any place to get it, prior to Shawsheen Tech."

Bazzinotti is currently enrolled in a mEtriculation program at Fitchburg State College. He attended the Greater Lawrence Vocational High School for two years where he obtained a machine shop teaching certificate, and he has taught an adult evening school in Haverhill Trade School, to retrain adults laid off from their jobs during the economic slump of the late sixties.

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Tewksbury Teenbits

by Kathy Heider

McGowan hero at THMS fire

There was a fire in the boys lavatory at TMHS Monday, December 3. It was around 10:15 a.m. when assistant vice principal William DeGregorio went rushing into Mr. DeGaravilla's Accounting II class and called the main office on the intercom. He told Mr. Lawrence McGowan, the principal, that there was a fire in the boy's room, and the smoke was coming into the halls. He asked McGowan if he should pull the fire alarm, and apparently, McGowan said no, and telephoned them instead.

While waiting for the fire department's arrival, Mr. McGowan, who is retiring at the end of this school year, grabbed a fire extinguisher, and heroically entered the burning room. The only sound that could be heard from that end of the hall was the hissing of the fire extinguisher, and Mr. DeGregorio's shouting, "Come out of there Larry!" The fire department arrived in minutes, and had the fire out within 10 minutes after it started.

Thanks to the quick thinking of Mr. McGowan, a possibly tragic situation was avoided. McGowan wasn't sure whether the fire was an accident or if it was set. Hopefully, it was an accident, because the students at TMHS must have more common sense than to start a fire like that.

On Friday, November 30, the Tewksbury High School teachers battled the Junior High teachers in basketball.

The gym was packed, and most of the spectators were junior high school students. The cheerleaders were junior high teachers, and there were half as many high school teachers as there were from the junior high. The junior high with "Super Sull and Marvelous Mull" printed on a poster, referring to math teacher Mr. Sullivan and reading teacher Mr. Mullen. both men are more than six feet tall and are good shots. They helped the junior high school best TMHS 44-41.

Wrestling season must be coming around, because most of last year's wrestlers had their hair cut.

After all the time and money Willy's Warriors spent fixing up the greenhouse, some vandals (suspected of being junior or high school age because of the way the words were written on the windows of a classroom - legible from the inside only) broke into the greenhouse and took an estimated $70 worth of plants to the edge of the woods where they smashed the pots. The police were notified, and will be patroling the area. Anyone caught inside the greenhouse after school hours will be arrested for breaking and entering.

If you have any information that you would like to see in this column, contact Kathy Heider at 851-2652 or write PO Box 68, Tewksbury.

School lunch prices going up

The price of school lunches will be going up, in Wilmington. The school committee, last Thursday, accepted the costs proposed by the School Department. Also due for an increase will be the price of milk.

The cost of a school lunch, called a Type A Lunch, is now calculated at 54¢. The lunch costs the children thirty cents, dessert included. The price is going to stay the same, but dessert will be an extra - an extra 10¢.

Teachers were paying 50¢ for lunch with dessert. Now they will be paying 55¢, with dessert being an extra.

For a-la-carte sandwiches, which are not a part of the lunch, pupils used to pay 20¢, and teachers 25¢. Now pupils will pay a quarter, and teachers 30¢.

Milk - there is a special program that affects mostly the children in the kindergartens. The price of milk was 3¢. Now it will be 5¢. The dairy which was furnishing the milk has had its price upped one cent, by the Federal government, and it has to pass the increase on. The result of this was a decision by the school board to call for new bids, for the milk bought by the public schools.

Cost of foods have skyrocketed, reports Jerry Houghton of the School Department. Twenty pounds of spaghetti used to cost $3.56 in 1972. Now it is $5.76, an increase of 59%. Cheese has gone up 51%, an increase of $7 for 12 pounds.

The new prices are to take effect on January One.

Childbirth Education classes, designed to prepare expectant parents for the birth of their child, will be offered at the New England Memorial Hospital on Tuesday, January 8th through February 26th at 7 pm in the hospital cafeteria. Pre-registration is desired. Call 665-1740, ext. 426. The registration fee is $15.

A SIGN OF THE FUTURE?

DYNAMICS RESEARCH CORPORATION: Of Concord Street Wilmington had its stock admitted to the Boston Stock Exchange, last week, and on the first day of trading officers displayed a sign which may have a portent for the future.

DRC President John S. Anderegg Jr. (center) is holding a sign which converts miles per hour into kilometers per hour. DRC makes, among its items of manufacture, digital display panels which can convert instantly English measurements into the metric system. Mr. Anderegg noted that there are already some areas which display signs in kilometers per hour, as well as miles per hour.

L to R: President James E. Dowd of the Boston Stock Exchange; Atty. Joseph Weingarten, Board of Directors of DRC; President Aderegg; Treasurer Willard E. Chippendale, and Vice President Joseph Backwell.

HARNDEN TAVERN BRICKS AND OTHERS

Dear Mr. Neilson:

As an associate member of the Wilmington Historical Commission, I acted as a guide at the Harnden Tavern open house. My post was in the cellar. Since your first article concerning the chimney base and foundation came out, I have been hoping to get a chance to ask you a few things about it.

I was wondering how one recognized "Bristol" brick and exactly where in the chimney base you found such bricks. I poked around in the chimney base while in the cellar, so I think I'd know any specific location you would mention.

As I am just learning about old houses, any new information would be very helpful. Thanks.

Sincerely,
Cathy Filipowicz

The quality of a brick is taken for granted in these days, but in Colonial and post-Colonial days of New England there were differences, that early masons recognized.

The "wearing" quality of a brick depended on its hardness, that is, how it had been exposed to the fire in the brick kiln. Good hard bricks were needed for fireplaces, and for places where the rain and sun would be striking the bricks.

Good hard bricks were not easy to come by. The early Colonials did not understand how to use a brick kiln. Their bricks, which were essentially to be described as home made, were of a soft quality. They were lighter in color, not having been properly exposed to the kiln fire. The local masons used these bricks in the foundations, and in places where there would be no direct exposure to the fires. A colonial chimney, having flues for four fireplaces, sometimes had 7,000 bricks.

The best hard bricks came from England as part of the ballast of a west bound ship. The bricks were sometimes loaded in Bristol, which is in the westerly part of Great Britain - hence the name Bristol Brick. About four or five hundred Bristol brick were used in an average 7,000 brick chimney, for the fireplaces and hearths.

Sometime after the Revolution the Yankees learned how to build better brick kilns. This of course resulted in better quality bricks, and perhaps one might say this had been achieved by the time of the War of 1812.

But, brick for chimneys which were some distance from a brick kiln was still a problem, Sometimes individual brick yards were established, for a few houses.

There was a site in Tewksbury, on the Shawsheen River, about 75 or 100 yards down stream from Main Street, on the "Wilmington" side. This site was in use about 150 years ago.

There were one or two sites in Wilmington. One, of which the writer is not 100% certain, was off Glen Road, northerly, and across from Drury Lane. Fifty years ago there was what seemed to be the remains of a clay pit there.

Another site was in North Wilmington, in what was later the Barrows Nursery. It could be distinguished ten or fifteen years ago, but has probably disappeared as a result of the extensive home building in the area. It is entirely possible that some of the bricks in the Harnden Tavern were from that kiln.

The Harnden Tavern, Mrs. Dillaway has said, had a new foundation put under it by Dr. Brown, sometime after he acquired the home - possibly in the 1820's, possibly at a different date.

The mason who built the chimneys in the Nichols Funeral Home, and the Dr. MacDougall home across the street, as well as the old Masonic Hall in Tewksbury was most certainly the same man who put in the new foundation (or possibly a new chimney) in the Harnden Tavern, when Dr. Brown had a cellar put in.

There is the same magnificent arch, in all instances.

In the Harnden Tavern some of the bricks in the basement section are "soft" (i.e. made locally, by relatively inexperienced men) and some are of better quality, and there are also some Bristol Brick to be seen. The writer noticed some near the stairwell, to name one place. Probably the mason picked up those brick and just used them to occupy space.

Putting a new base under a chimney is not exactly an easy trick. Imagine tearing away the foundation to a brick chimney. What is going to hold up the bricks already in the chimney?

Holes had to be cut, and timbers' introduced. If done successfully the chimney didn't fall down. If unsuccessful - well there was a mess of about five to 7,000 bricks (in the Colonial chimneys) to pick up.

When Caleb Harriman bought the old Cadwallader Ford house (now the Brooks home) some time about sixty or seventy years ago, he had Herb Barrows put in a new cellar. It is a fine roomy one, with cut granite walls.

Herb said that Caleb employed some of his own men to do the digging, and that he, (Herb) warned Caleb to be careful that the chimney did not fall down. But it did.

They had to put a complete new chimney in the Cadwallader Ford place, as a result. That must have been fun.

ROTARY SONG LEADER: The Wilmington Rotary Club, yesterday had one of the outstanding song leaders of Rotary as a visitor, shown here in action. Fred Smith of Malden, a Past District Governor, always leads the singing in any club he visits. He is believed to be topping 80 years.

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Army Specialist Four William McNee, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. McNee of 285 Shawsheen Ave., Wilmington, participated with some 1,400 Ft. Bragg soldiers in exercise Deep Furrow, conducted in the Southern Region of Allied Command Europe.

The nine-day exercise, an annual event, included forces from Greece, Turkey, United Kingdon and the U.S. Highlights of the exercise was a multinational amphibious landing and an airborne operation in the Turkish Thrace.

Landing forces held maneuvers in the Greek and Turkish Thrace while naval forces carried out amphibious and carrier operations in the Eastern Mediterranean, including the Agean Sea.

The exercise was designed to test our Nato capabilities in defending Turkey from aggressors and securing the warm-warter ports of the Black Sea and the Sea of Marmara as well as insuring the security of the Bosporus Straits.

Spec. McNee is a driver in headquarters company of the 82nd Airborne Division at Ft. Bragg.

JOHN CONLIN TOOK PART IN REFORGER V

Army Private First Class John E. Conlin, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward X. Conlin, 24 Lloyd Rd., Wilmington participated with other American and allied troops in exercise Reforger V in Germany, October 10th - 16th.

The military airlift command flew approximagely 11,000 U.S. based soldiers and more than 1,000 tons of equipment to three different airfields in Germany in preparation for the event.

Immediately after arriving overseas, the redeployed units drew combat gear and vehicles from prepositioned storage sites in Germany and moved to the exercise area to begin the seven day field maneuver.

Pitted aginst the airlifted forces were Europe based elements of NATO forces of the U.S., Germany and Canada.

The exercise, conducted by the joint chiefs of staff and NATO, focused on the procedures and techniques for receiving, equipping, assembling and employing units after they arrive, rather than on rapid deployment of troops from the U.S.

PFC Conlin is regularly assigned as a combat engineer with the 78th engineer battalion's company B at Ettlingen, Germany.

Bits & Pieces
(from page two)

A coffee hour for the benefit of the Wilmington Women's Club Scholarship Fund will be conducted on Tuesday, December 11th at 10 am in the home of Mrs. Walter Lait, 28 Kenwood Ave.

The general body meeting of the Wilmington Cardinals and Crusader Juniors Booster Club will take place Thursday, December 6th (tonight) at 8 pm in VFW Hall, Main St.

The Malden Hospital School of Nursing has announced their Career Day Schedule for 1973-74. The socials will be held on Wednesday afternoons 3-5 on January 16th and April 10th. The school invites boys and girls from junior and senior high schools as well as men and women interested in learning more about careers in nursing, x-ray and medical technology.

Converse Rubber Co. of Wilmington has leased approximately 120,000 square feet of space in North Berwick, Maine. The space will be used to expand the company's Industrial Products Division and its Outdoor Sports Equipment line which is centered at Converse Tyer Division in Andover.

Mrs. Bonnie Block of Middlesex Ave., Wilmington observed her birthday on December 4th.

According to one informant, Otto Swenson of Adams St., Wilmington (a member of Wilmington's Golden Age Club) came close to being "the life of the party" at a banquet and dance held at the Towanda Club in Woburn last Saturday evening. It is said that Otto didn't miss a a dance and at the close of the evening was awarded the floral centerpiece for being the oldest participant at the event. Otto claims 83 summers, but his personality denies them.

Wilmington Senior Citizens have been invited to Christmas shop at a 10% discount at Grant's City, Wilmington on December 12th from 9 am to 10 pm. Older citizens should call at the Drop-in-Center for identification cards. The invitation has been extended in cooperation with the Wilmington Recreation Dept.

Roger Beaupre, amiable chief cook and bottle washer at Sweezey's Home Courtesy Center, on Rte. 38, Wilmington will attempt to aid his fellow townsmen in the energy crisis. He will conduct a free clinic at the Center on Thursday evening, December 13th at 7 o'clock. Roger will attempt those who care to take part in ways to winterize their homes and keep warm during the next few months.

Top honors in the Wilmington Golden Agers Bowling League this week went to Bob Trout, Bert Miller and George Boylen. There are now ten men and eleven women taking part in the league and there is plenty of room for more. Interested older citizens are invited to call Joe McElaney for information.

The Parents Council of Shawsheen Tech will hold its monthly meeting at 8 pm on Thursday, December 6th (tonight) in the school auditorium. Plans for the upcoming Teen Fair and adult social will be discussed. All interested parents are urged to attend.

Myron MacInnis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve MacInnis of Main St., Wilmington is currently a patient at Mass. Eye and Ear Foundation in Boston. Myron was struck in the eye by a hockey puck while participating in a Midget encounter last Saturday evening at the Youth Ice Arena. Reports on Wednesday afternoon stated that Myron is "going to be OK." He is a student at WHS and takes an active part in sports there.

Billy Darling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darling Jr. of Eames St., Wilmington has returned home from Winchester Hospital where he underwent surgery last week. Billy is a 1973 graduate of Wilmington High School.

The Health Planning Council for Greater Boston will hold a membership meeting in the six town area which includes Arlington, Burlington, Lexington, Winchester, Wilmington and Woburn. The meeting will be held at Choate Hospital, cafeteria, 21 Warren Ave., Woburn on Wednesday, December 12th at 7:30 pm.

In cooperation with the Recreation Dept's Christmas Tree Trimming project, children in the third grade and up will decorate the Children's Room tree at Wilmington Memorial Library this year with ornaments representing story book characters. Friday December 7th at 3 pm materials will be on hand for those who wish to participate.

The Greater Lowell Chapter Mothers of Twins Assn. will hold its monthly meeting on December 11th at U.S. Bunting and Cricket Club in Lowell at 8 pm. Members will hold the traditional Christmas swap in which each member receives a handmade article. The annual children's Christmas party will be held on December 10th from 1 to 5 pm. Last month members donated food items which were packed into baskets with turkeys and delivered to two families for Thanksgiving.

The varsity hockey team at Babson College in Wellesley includes James Irwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin of 17 Glendale Circle, Wilmington. He is a 1971 graduate of Wilmington High School and a junior at Babson. This is his third year on the hockey team. According to "one who should know" Jim has scored six goals in the last two games he played - a pair of hat tricks.

Approximately 700 students attend Atlantic Union College in south Lancaster. Among them is Cynthia Mackay of Newland Ave., Wilmington, a French and Nursing major.

Tickets are now available for the American Legion Christmas Party in Wilmington. The event will be held on Saturday evening, December 15th. Public invited.

Nancy Abbood, who served for eight years as a guidance counqellor at Wilmington High School is presently teaching at the American School in Tokyo, Japan.

Shawsheen Tech will present its first Variety Show on Friday and Saturday evenings, December 14th and 15th at 8 pm. The show, involving the entire school population is entitled "Man of Music." Tickets may be purchased at the door or by calling Mary Sankus at 667-2111.

Fourteen members of French classes four and five of Wilmington High School travelled to Conrord/Carlisle Regional High School last Saturday to attend a performance of "L'Avre." The play was presented by a traveling theater group from France and was performed entirely in French. The WHS students were accompanied by French instructor Louise Bochino.

Seven Tewksbury students and 14 from Wilmington have been named to the honor roll at Austin Prep for the first quarter.

Included from Tewksbury are: Louis Cappucci, Michael Cronin, Steven Nawn, Douglas Patten, Brian Sheehan, John Crickett and Mark Gallagher. Those from Wilmington include: John Dunn, John Krasznekewicz, Andrew Stone, Mark Fiorenza, Donald roberts, Andrew Bonanno, Paul bovitz, Gerard Cunningham, Brian McKie, James Peterson, Jeffrey Miller, Robert Peterson, Richard Dunn and James Peters.

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Pack 63 awards

Members of Cub Scout Pack 63 meeting at Villanova hall on Thursday, November 29th. The conducted their regular monthly

Webelos Den conducted the opening ceremony and Den Two performed a humorous skit on a medical "operation."

Compasses were awarded to the following Cubs for the most original projects compiled from a given list of materials: Den One, Brian Ouellette; Den Two, Kenny Smith; Den Three, James MacMillan; Den Four, Leonard Boudreau and Webelos Den, Michael Cassidy.

Den One led the group in a few songs and executed the closing ceremonies. Den Four won the plaque for "best attendance.

Badges were awarded to: Bobcat, Marc Anderson, Glen Grabowski, Stephen Everett, Scott Jenkins and David Webster; Wolf, Stephen Everett, Francis Jason, Edward Long, Michael Medeiros, Albert Orio, Brian Ouellette and Danny Ugolini; Wolf Gold Arrows, Stephen Everett, Francis Jason, Edward Long, Brian Ouellette and Danny Ugolini.

Silver Arrows, Edmund D'Amelio (two), Edward Long and Brian Ouellette; Bear, Edmund D'Amelio; Webelos badge colors, Edmund D'Amelio, Engineer, Michael Cassidy; Forester, Michael Cassidy; Sportsman, Danny Wandell and Travelers, Donald Long and Danny Wandell.

The Chrysanthemum, the November flower, gets its name from two Greek terms and means "Golden Flower". In the U.S. for decades numerous kinds of the plant have been raised, but it wasn't until 1944 that the National Chrysanthemum Society was founded with the motto: "Cheerfulness under adversity, integrity, goodwill."

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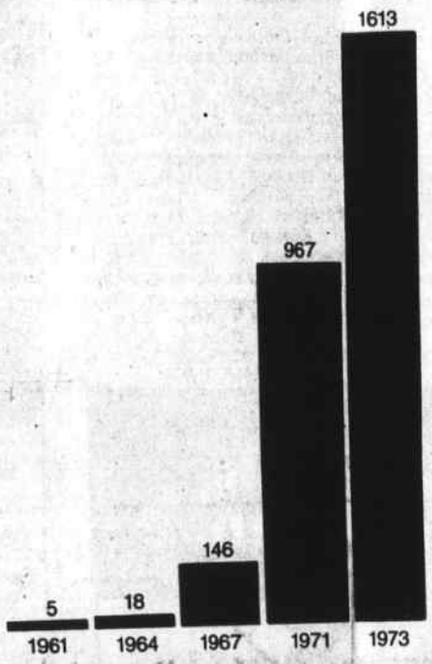

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Helen D. Field late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Alyce Field of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourteenth day of December 1973, the return day of this citation.

Witness, WILLIAM E. HAYS, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of November 1973.

John V. Harvey
Register.

N22,29D6

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Ronald J. Butler and Judith B. Butler, husband and wife, as tenants by the entirety, to Middlesex Federal Savings and Loan Association, dated February 25, 1969, duly recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book 1686, Page 273, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 11:00 o'clock a.m. on the 20th day of December, 1973, on the premises located at and numbered 2 Short Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts, all the premises described in said mortgage.

To Wit: That certain parcel of land, together with the buildings thereon, situated in Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as Lot 15 on a "Plan of Subdivision of Lot 15, Wilmington Acres, North Wilmington, Mass.", George F. Maynard, C.E., dated June, 1958, recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds in Plan Book 90, Plan 52B, and bounded and described as follows:

NORTHERLY by Short Street, 135 feet; NORTHEASTERLY by land of unknown owners, 300 feet, more or less; SOUTHERLY by an unnamed brook, as shown in a plan hereinafter referred to, 302 feet, more or less; and WESTERLY by Lot 15-A as shown on said plan, 330 feet, more or less.

Containing 94,175 square feet of land, more or less, according to said plan.

Subject to restrictions of record, insofar as the same are now in force and applicable.

Hereby conveying the same premises conveyed to us by Deed of Robert P. Stevens, Trustee, of even delivery and record herewith.

Said premises are now known as and numbered 2 Short Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts.

Terms of Sale: Said sale will be made subject to any and all real estate taxes, real estate tax titles and any other municipal liens and assessments, if any; One Thousand ($1000.00) Dollars to be paid in cash or certified check by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale and the balance to be paid within fifteen (15) days thereafter.

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Treasurer

N22,29D6

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To Cecilia E. Caddy of North Reading, in the County of Middlesex, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive and to the Massachusetts Department of Mental Health.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said Cecilia E. Caddy has become incapacitated by reason of advanced age to care property for her property and praying that Eileen C. Donovan of Reading, in said County, or some other suitable person, be appointed conservator of her property.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighteenth day of December 1973, the return day of this citation.

Witness, William E. Hays, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of November 1973.

John V. Harvey
Register.

N29D6,13

LOST BANK BOOK: The following bankbook is lost and application has been made for payment of the amount in accordance with Sec. 20, Ch. 167 GL. Payment has been stopped. Bankbook 1403243 Melrose Wakefield Bank. D63t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Alice M. Allen late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Franklin E. Allen of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex praying that she be appointed executrix thereof without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of December 1973, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Edward T. Martin Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of November 1973.

John V. Harvey,
Register.

D6,13,20

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
SHERIFF'S SALE

Middlesex, ss. Lowell, June 19, 1973

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction on the 4th day of January, 1974 on Friday at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the SHERIFF'S OFFICE, 150 Warren Street, Lowell, County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that Joseph L. Zahar and Barbara R. Zahar, both at 3 Birchwood Road, Wilmington, County of Middlesex, had (not exempt by law from levy on execution or from attachment) on the 11th day of December, 1972 being the time when the same was attached on mesne process in and to the following described real estate, to wit:- Book 1074, Page 288.

A certain parcel of land with all the buildings and structures now of hereafter standing or placed thereon, situated in Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being now numbered 3 Birchwood Road, and being shown as Lot 1 in Block G on a plan entitled "Plan of Wilmington Acres North Wilmington, Mass. Owned & Developed by John D. Cooke", dated December 1946 by Merrill A. Brown, Civil Engineer, recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Plan Book 70, Plan 58, being bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by said Birchwood Road, one hundred (100) feet; Southwesterly by Short Street, one hundred (100) feet; Northwesterly by Lot 2 in said Block G, one hundred (100) feet; Northeasterly by Lot 3 in said Block G, one hundred (100) feet.

Containing 10,000 square feet of land.

Terms of sale-Cash.

Leo L. Trudei
Deputy Sheriff

N22,29D6

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT

Middlesex, ss. 70288

To The Honorable Judges of The Land Court for The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Respectfully represents Brenda Jane Lovering of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; that she is owner of a certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situate in Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, bounded and described as follows:

The land in Wilmington, said County, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly - by Aldrich Road, 179.38 feet; Southerly - by land of Kaleta, 177.62 feet; Southwesterly - by land of owners unknown, 160.06 feet; Northwesterly - by land of owners unknown, 315.82 feet; Northeasterly - by Hardin Street, 222.75 feet.

All of above bound are more or less.

Excepted from the above-described parcel of land the parcel conveyed by deed recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 896, Page 206.

That the record title to said lot of land is clouded by a mortgage given by John W. and Claribelle Corcoran, to F.C. Friend Mortgage Corp., dated August 28, 1946, and duly recorded Book 1051, Page 394, purporting to secure a note of $375.00, payable with interest annually, which mortgage appears to be undischarged, unassigned and unforeclosed on and by the record - or not properly or legally discharged of record:

That for more than twenty years after the expiration of the time limited for the full performance of said condition no payment has been made and no other act done in recognition of said mortgage; and

That the mortgagor named in said mortgage and those claiming under have been in uninterrupted possession of said land for more than twenty years after the expiration of time limited in said mortgage for the full performance of the condition thereof.

WHEREFORE your petitioner pray that after appropriate notices a decree may be entered on the foregoing allegations as authorized by Section 15, Chapter 240 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 20, of the Acts of 1924.

Brenda Jane Lovering

On this twentieth day of September 1973, personally appeared before me the within named Brenda Jane Lovering as aforesaid known to me to be the signer of the foregoing petition, and made oath, that the statements therein contained so far as made of her own knowledge are true and so far as made upon information and belief that she believe them to be true. Before me,

Alan Altman
Notary Public.

A true copy attest

Margaret M. Daly
Recorder

N22,29D6

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT

(SEAL) Case No. 70259 Misc. In Equity

To Lawrence J. Marchetti and Patricia A. Marchetti, both of Wilmington, Middlesex county, and said Commonwealth; Haltbes Realty, Inc., a duly existing corporation, having an usual place of business in said Wilmington; and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended; Middlesex Bank, N.A., a duly existing corporation, having an usual place of business in Cambridge, Middlesex County, and said Commonwealth; claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in said Wilmington, numbered, 132 Grove Avenue, given by Lawrence J. Marchetti and Patricia A. Marchetti to the Plaintiff, dated August 21, 1972, and recorded with Middlesex North Deeds, Book 2025, Page 727, has filed with said court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the 14th day of January 1974, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, WILLIAM I. RANDALL, Esquire, Judge of said Court this 30th day of November 1973.

MARGARET M. DALY
Recorder

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The School Committee of the Town of Wilmington hereby invites the submission of sealed bids for supplying milk to the public schools of Wilmington for the period January 1, 1974 to July 1, 1974. Bids will be received until 11:00 a.m. on the 12th day of December, 1973, at the office of the School Committee, 159 Church Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts, 01887, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened.

Specification and bid forms may be obtained at the same office. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any, and part of, or all bids. Any bid submitted will be binding for thirty (30) days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

John Brooks, Chmn.
School Committee
by: Jerry A. Houghton
Business Manager

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
OFFICE OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF BANKS

Melrose Savings Bank, Melrose, Massachusetts, having petitioned the Commissioner of Banks for authority to establish a branch office to be located at 219 Lowell Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts, a public hearing will be given to all parties interested therein in the office of the Commissioner of Banks, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, Massachusetts, on Monday, January 7, 1974 at 2:00 P.M.

Freyda P. Koplow,
Commissioner of Banks

D6,13,20

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
SHERIFF'S SALE

Middlesex, ss. Lowell, June 13 1973

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction on the 4th day of January, 1974 on Friday at 10:30 a.m., at the SHERIFF'S OFFICE, 150 Warren Street, Lowell, County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that John Martin, 96 Park Avenue, Wilmington, County of Middlesex, had (not exempt by law from levy on execution or from attachment) on the 6th day of April 1972 at 8:30 o'clock a.m. Recorded in Book 2001, Page 542, being the time when the same was attached on mesne process in and to the following described real estate, to wit:- Book 1809, Page 288.

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Leo L. Trudei
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N22,29D6

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Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Minna Melin late of North Reading in said County, deceased, testate.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale, certain real estate of said deceased, and that the petitioner may become the purchaser of said real estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of December 1973, the return day of this citation.

Witness, William E. Hays, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of November 1973.

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Dracut @ Methuen (7:30 pm).
Fri. Dec. 21
Central @ Billerica (7:30 pm).
Austin @ Methuen (7:30 pm).
Dracut @ WILMINGTON (7:30 pm)
Chelmsford @ TEWKS (7:30 pm).
Wed. Jan 2
Billerica @ Methuen (7:30 pm).
Andover @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm).
Central @ WILMINGTON (5 pm).
TEWKSBURY @ Austin (7:30 pm).
Fri. Jan. 4
Billerica @ TEWKS (7:30 pm).
Central @ Dracut (7:30 pm).
Austin @ Andover (7:30 pm).
Methuen @ WILMINGTON (7:30 pm).
Tue. Jan 8
Austin @ Billerica (7:30 pm).
TEWKSBURY @ Central (7:30 pm).
Chelmsford @ WILM (5 pm).
Dracut @ Andover (7:30 pm).
Fri. Jan 11
Billerica @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm).
Methuen @ Central (7:30 pm).
TEWKSBURY @ Dracut (7:30 pm).
Andover @ WILMINGTON (7:30 pm).
Tue. Jan. 15
WILM @ Billerica (7:30 pm).
Methuen @ Andover (7:30 pm).
Austin @ Dracut (7:30 pm).
Central @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm).
Fri. Jan. 18
TEWKS @ Methuen (7:30 pm).
WILMINGTON @ Austin (7:30 pm).
Andover @ Central (7:30 pm).
Dracut @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm).
Tue. Jan. 22
Dracut @ Billerica (7:30 pm).
Andover @ TEWKS (7:30 pm).
Methuen @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm).
Wed. Jan. 23
Central @ Austin (7:30 pm)
Fri. Jan. 25
Methuen vs Dracut (5:30 pm, B. G).
Andover @ Billerica (7:30 pm).
Austin @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm).
WILM @ TEWKS (7:30 pm).
Sat. Jan 19
WILM vs Chelmsford (12:30 pm).
Andover vs Billerica (1:45 pm).
TEWKSBURY vs Central (3 pm).
Wed. Jan 23
WILMINGTON vs Austin (3:40 pm).
TEWKS vs Billerica (5 pm).
Central vs Chelmsford (6:15 pm).
Sat. Jan. 26
Austin vs TEWKSBURY (12:30 pm).
Andover vs WILMINGTON (1:45 pm).
Billerica vs Central (3 pm).
Wed. Jan. 30
Andover vs TEWKSBURY (3:40 pm).
Billerica vs Chelmsford (5 pm).
Austin vs Central (6:15 pm).
Sat. Feb. 2
WILM vs Central (12:30 pm).
Austin vs Billerica (1:45 pm).
Andover vs Chelmsford (3 pm).
Wed. Feb. 6
TEWKS vs WILM (3:40 pm)
Central vs Andover (5 pm).
Chelmsford vs Austin (6:15 pm).
Sat. Feb. 9
Andover vs Austin (12:30 pm).
TEWKS vs Chelmsford (1:45 pm).
WILM vs Billerica (3 pm).
Wed. Feb. 13
Billerica vs Andover (3:40 pm).
Central vs TEWKSBURY (5 pm).
Chelmsford vs WILM (6:15 pm).
Sat. Feb. 16
Chelmsford vs Central (12:30 pm).
Austin vs WILMINGTON (1:45 pm).
Billerica vs TEWKS (3 pm).
Mon. Feb. 18
WILM vs Andover (3:40 pm).
Central vs Billerica (5 pm).
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Andover vs Chelmsford (1:45 pm).
Austin vs Billerica (3 pm).
Wed. Dec. 19
Central vs Andover (3:40 pm)
Chelmsvord vs Austin (5 pm).
TEWKS vs WILM (6:16 pm).
Sat. Dec. 22
TEWKS vs Chelmsford (12:30 pm
WILM. vs Billerica (1:45 pm)
Andover vs Austin (3 pm)
Wed. Dec. 26
Central vs TEWKSBURY (3:40 pm)
Chelmsford vs WILM (5 pm),
Billerica vs Andover (6:15 pm).
Sat. Dec. 29
Chelmsvord vs Central (12:30 pm).
Billerica vs TEWKS (1:45 pm).
Austin vs WILM (3 pm).
Wed. Jan. 2
Central vs Billerica (3:40 pm)
TEWKSBURY vs Austin (5 pm).
WILM vs Andover (6:15 pm).
Sat. Jan 5
Chelmsford vs Billerica (12:30 pm).
Central vs Austin (1:45 pm).
TEWKS vs Andover (3 pm).
Wed. Jan 9
Chelmsford vs Andover (3:40 pm).
Central vs WILM (5 pm).
Billerica vs Austin (6:15 pm).
Sat. Jan 12
Austin vs Chelmsford (12:30 pm).
WILM vs TEWKS (1:45 pm).
Andover vs Central (3 pm).
Wed. Jan 16
WILM vs Billerica (3:40 pm).
Austin vs Andover (5 pm).
TEWKSBURY vs Central (6:15 pm).
Tue. Jan. 29
Billerica @ Central (7:30 pm).
WILMINGTON @ Dracut (7:30 pm).
TEWKS @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm).
Wed. Jan. 30
Methuen @ Austin (7:30 pm).
Fri. Feb. 1
Methuen @ Billerica (7:30 pm).
Chelmsford @ Andover (7:30 pm).
WILMINGTON @ Central (7:30 pm).
Austin @ TEWKSBURY (7:30 pm).
Tue. Feb. 5
TEWKS @ Billerica (7:30 pm).
Dracut @ Central (7:30 pm).
Andover @ Austin (7:30 pm).
WILMINGTON @ Methuen (7:30 pm).
Fri. Feb. 8
Central @ TEWKSBURY (7:30 pm).
WILM @ Chelmsford (7:30 pm).
Andover @ Dracut (7:30 pm).
Sat. Feb. 9
Billerica vs Austin (7:30 pm).
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Chelmsford @ Billerica (7:30 pm).
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Gulls	6-0-0-12
Blades	4-1-1- 9
Rockets	4-2-0- 8
Blazers	2-3-1- 5
Buckaroos	2-3-1- 5
Roadrunners	2-3-1- 5
Checkers	1-5-0- 2
Spurs	1-5-0- 2
Squirts	
Americans	4-0-2-10
Bears	4-1-1- 9
Voyageurs	3-2-1- 7
Aces	2-2-2- 6
Clippers	2-3-1- 5
Reds	2-3-1- 5
Braves	1-3-2- 4
Barons	1-5-0- 2
Pee Wees	
Canucks	5-0-1-11
Kings	3-1-2- 8
Sabres	4-2-0- 8
Flyers	2-1-3- 7
No. Stars	3-2-1- 7
Blues	2-4-0- 4
Seals	1-4-1- 3
Penquins	0-6-0- 0
Bantams	
Canadiens	5-0-1-11
Hawks	5-1-0-10
Rangers	2-3-1- 5
Red Wings	2-3-1- 5
Leafs	2-4-0- 4
Bruins	0-5-1- 1
Midgets	
Bombers	6-0-0-12
Cougars	5-1-0-10
Generals	2-3-1- 5
Knights	2-4-0- 4
Tigers	1-4-1- 3
Jets	1-5-0- 2

MERRIMACK VALLEY GIRLS HOCKEY LEAGUE

Nashua	3-1-1-5
WILMINGTON RECS	2-1-0-4
Andover	2-1-0-4
No. Middlesex	2-2-0-4
Haverhill	0-3-1-1
Chelmsford	0-1-0-0

Next Games

Tonight: Andover vs Chelmsford (6 pm, Billerica).

Sun. Dec. 9: Recs Maroon vs Burlington (6 am, Wilmington); Recs Gold vs. Chelmsford (7 pm, Nashua).

Wed. Dec. 12: Recs Gold vs Haverhill (6 pm, Billerica).

WILMINGTON ADULT HOCKEY LEAGUE

Runners	9-2-0-18
Vikings	6-3-1-14
Bulldogs	5-5-1-11
Dolly's Dozen	3-6-3- 9
Flyers	0-7-4- 4

Next games @ WYIA

Sun. Dec. 9: Dolly's Dozen vs Runners (10 pm); Vikings vs Flyers (11:10 pm).

Mon. Dec. 10: Runners vs Bulldogs (10:30 pm).

Wed. Dec. 12: Vikings vs Bulldogs (10 pm); flyers vs Dolly's (11:10 pm).

NORTH WILMINGTON MERCHANTS BOWLING

Jaycees	60-36
Bradeo, Ind	56-40
No. Wilm. Pharmacy	50-46
Stop & Go	48-48
Snap On	46-50
Mytron	45-35
Mytron	45-35
No. Wilm. Shell	44-52
American Travellers	39-57

High Series: Frank Barcellos, 606; Mike Griffin, 544; Jim Caulfield, 543; Lorraine Burt, 488; Mary Ann Ackerman, 449 and Jean Lesnik, 425.

High Game: Mike Griffin, 225; Frank Barcellos, 223; Jim Caulfield, 215; Lorraine burt, 181; Jean Lesnik, 171 and Mary Ann Ackerman, 167.

ST. DOROTHY'S WOMEN BOWLING LEAGUE

Gemini	27- 9
Scorpio	22-14
Libra	19-17
Aqarius	19-17
Pisces	19-17
Cancer	18-18
Aries	17-19
Taurus	15-21
Leo	7-29

High Single: R. harris, 137; R. Murray, 136; S. Lena, 136; H. Elliott, 136.

High Triple: M. Hill, 360; R. Murray, 350.

WILMINGTON SONS OF ITALY BOWLING LEAGUE

Teddy Bears	60-28
Pandas	54-34
Bulldogs	52-36
Chipmunks	48-40
Stingrays	48-20
Bullmoose	46-42
Wildcats	42-46
Foxes	42-46
Skunks	39-49
Coyotes	39-49
Mustangs	36-52
Flamingos	27-61

High Single: Frank Daniels, 125; Betty Aprile, 112.

High Triple: John Fahey, 320; Betty Aprile, 328.

WILMINGTON RECREATION TIDBITS

Basketball...

The 28 youth division clubs wind up their pre-season slate this Saturday with fourteen practice games at the high school gym. Next week the regular season gets underway with a triple header scheduled on Wednesday evening.

There are seven teams entered in the adult loop, including defending champion Super-stars along with Wilmington Ford, Newhouse Builders, Silver Lake Pharmacy (Patenaude last season) and Nomads (Cain's Reps in 73). Newcomers Converse Rubber and Nova Devices round out the division.

Upcoming action at the high school gym is listed below:

Sat. Dec. 8 (practice games)
Owls vs. Hawks (10 am).
Eagles vs. Ravens (10:30 am).
Chargers vs Broncos (11 am).
Raiders vs Chiefs (11:30 am).
Kittens vs Pandas (12 noon).
Fawns vs Bunnies (12:30 pm).
Tigers vs Lions (1 pm).
Patriots vs Jets (1:30 pm).
Pistons vs Knicks (2:15 pm).
Celtics vs Lakers (3 pm).
Bullets vs Royals (3:45 pm).
Emeralds vs Crystals (4:30 pm).
Opals vs Jades (5:15 pm).
Diamonds vs Rubys (6:00 pm).
Wed. Dec. 12 (Regular season opens)
Ravens vs. Hawks (6:30 pm).
Broncos vs Patriots (7:15 pm).
Converse vs Nova Devices 18 pm).

REC BASKETBALL ROSTERS 73-74
Girls

Fawns: Sherry Bearse, Diane Coye, Sherri Cushing, Valerie Wetzler, Sandra Smith, Mary Winnett, Lauren Beninati, Diane Doyle, Laurie Rodan, Donna Galka.

Pandas: Michele Hayden, Sandra Hughes, Donna Carroll, Jane Theriault, Judy Nee, Kathy Pintrich, Kathy Burke, Donna Musto, Lisa Cameron, Laurie Hayden.

Bunnies: Kathleen Bailey, Pat O'Reilly, Susan Rowe, Colleen Pierce, Tracy Stewart, Lynne Bradley, Cheryl Lapper, Suzanne Lawler, Karen Andersen.

Kittens: Deidre O'Reilly, Peg Winnett, Nancy Moran, Karen Andres, Cheryl Kindred, Mary Dillon, Linda Morris, Linda Novello.

Emeralds: Jean Novak, Deborah Cook, Dot Lawler, Maureen Baker, Debbie Marsi, Robin Ready, Leeann Sadowski, Doreen Ethier, Lisa Gubellini, Debbi Forestaire.

Crystals: Brenda Burns, Ellen O'Rourke, Susan Domigan, Debbie Bent, Margie Keefe, Helen Bailey, Nancy Moore, Kathy Hall, Cindy rosa, Fran Scarano, Karen Gagnon.

Diamonds: Kathy Burke, Diane Cook, Melissa Jones, Pan Strand, Cheryl McGrath, Denise Dorval, Debbie Sullivan, Kathy Barry, Linda Hardy, Jeanne McDonald.

Rubys: Angela Valente, Gail Knott, Cathy Morrissette, Windy Wiberg, Jane Conlin, Maureen Nash, Mary Lou Simmons, Ann Gillis, Deborah Olson, Beth Lafavour.

Opals: Beth Harrison, Lynda Pintrich, Betsy Costello, Cheryl Costello, Cheryl Dicey, Janet O'Reilly, Jenny DeWilde, Donna Lucci, Karen Pilcher, Susan O'Hearne.

Jades: Lydia Nolan, Laura Miller, Lynne Hastings, Denise Jennings, Laurie Hastings, Sandra Carlson, Wendy Rosa, Sally Irwin, Barbara Moulton, Maureen Sughrue.

Boys

Owls: Ronny Jackson, Bobby Marsi, Greg Ashley, Mike Costello, Mike Fitzgerald, Louis Martignetti, Mike Novak, Steve Fearing, William Hannon, Thomas Hannon, Charles Leach, Robert Clinch, John Gagnon.

Hawks: Joseph Murphy, Scott St. Hillaire, Brian Lawler, Robert Towle, Edward Moran, Jeffrey Stouffer, Dan Munroe, Kevin Bagrowski, Ralph Burpee, Dave Staffiere, Mickey O'Connell, Arra Yeghiayan, Daniel Kumm.

Eagles: Steve Mulno, Robert Cram, Donald Abern, Timmy Dunn, Dave Driscoll, Kevin Dicey, Robert Magliozzi, John Pierce, Devin O'Brien, Robert Morris, Scott Sullivan, Mike Tilton.

Ravens: Brian McGrath, Jerome Maxfield, Michael Sullivan, Mike Moran, Richard Duggan, Andrew Leverone, John Peterson, Kenneth Marshall, Richard DeWilde, Keith Williams, Paul Winnett, Clonigo DeJesus, Eddie D'Amelio.

Raiders: Skip Hall, Vinny McCoy, Kevin Cogan, Bob McCoy, Freddie Olshaw, David Woods, Bill Lang, Ricky Ballou, George Flodin.

Broncos: Dave Cook, Joe Vengren, Don Lombardi, Jim Marsi, Mike Michaud, Frank Ring, Randy Skilling, Eddie Hannon, Mike DiNuzio.

Chiefs: Dave Bradley, bob butler, Bill Liston, Gary Hasting, Kevin Caira, Tom Reid, Eric Wood, Gregg Moulton, George Hooper.

chargers: Tommy Carroll, Marty Sullian, Glen Carlson, Billy Trites, Neil Wetzler, Al Fantasia, Al Bourassa, Tom Babineau.

Tigers: Bill Hanlon, Carroll Gillespie, Dave Maxwell, Frank West, Dan Todd, Craig Vokey, Jim Bossi, Don Logan, Brian Todd.

Lions: Paul Bush, David Lang, Keith MacDonald, Robert Skilling, Billy Pierce, Doug Martyn, Bob Allyn, Doug Fearing, Paul Elmstrom, Jim Bradley.

Patriots: Sal Carbone, Steve Welch, Jim Winnett, Bill Winnett, Paul Golden, Jim Burns, Rick Lunnetta, Scott Nolan, Chris Nolan, Jim Leach, Peter McMillan.

Jets: Kevin Burke, Paul Burke, Butch Costello, Joe Costello, Mike Miller, Bob Grant, Greg Wood, Tim Magee.

Royals: Paul Bradley, Paul Leach, Marty Tildsley, Jim Coolidge, Joe Thomas, Bob Miller, Paul Barry, Buddy Vengren.

Pistons: Mickey Grant, Pete McNaughton, Bob Walsh, Mike Barcellos, Dale Martin, Tom Michaud, Mark Waruszyla, Larry O'Brien, Ken Kumm.

Knicks: Dave Maloney, John McNaughton, Tom Stewart, Jon Frederickson, Guy Schiavone, John Cleary, Jerry Cone, Mike Andres.

Celtics: Ed Maloney, Mark West, Gus Smith, Randy foster, Mark Smith, Larry Burke, Ray Cuozzo, Guy Clinch.

Bullets: Barry Foster, Scott Gordon, Kenny Liston, Dave McMillan, Jim Hadfield, Chuck Wood, Tom Marden.

Lakers: Steve Woods, Jim Stewart, Bob Sferrazza, Steve Winchell, Steve Hunter, Aldo Caira, Doug Palmer, Danny Sullivan.

Girls ice hockey...

The Recs moved into a second place tie defeating No. Middlesex, 2-0 last Thursday at the Forum in Billerica. Stellar goal tending by Cindy Laquidara and Cathy Bristol backboned the Gold unit to their second league win.

Denise Kindred scored the game winner in the closing seconds of the middle frame converting a Karen Surrette pass from five feet out. Assistant captain Julie Wallace, making her seasonal debut on defense started the play with a fine pass from the blue line to Surrette.

Cheryl Cushing tallied her second seasonal goal late in the final stanza to put the frosting on the win. Cheryl's solo effort had been stopped by the Middlesex goalie only to have a No. Stars defenseman put the puck into her own net. Joan Welch picked up an assist on the play.

Recs	0 1 1-2
No. Middlesex	0 0 0-0

First Period: No scoring

Second Period: W-Kindred (Wallace, Surrette), 11:44.

Third Period: W-Cushing (Welch).

Shots: Wilm. on Marshall 2,2,5-9; NM on Laquidara and Briston 5,6,6,-17.

Both clubs will be in action this Sunday, beginning in the morning when the Maroon sextet faces-off against Burlington in a 6 am tilt at the Wilmington Arena. The Maroons will be looking for their initial triumph of the season, after losing their first four non-league games. In the evening the Gold's travel to Nashua to take on Chelmsford in a 7 o'clock encounter with hopes of continuing their winning ways.

Next Wednesday the Golds take on a much improved Haverhill club at the Billerica Forum in their fifth MVGHL encounter. Face off is listed for 6:00 pm.

Ladies Slimnastics and Golf: These Tuesday evening programs normally held in the high school gym from 7:30 to 9:30 have been discontinued through the holidays. They will resume on Tuesday, January 8th.

Ski Trip: A motor coach will be leaving the high school parking lot on December 30th, Sunday at 6:30 am for Waterville Valley if snow conditions are adequate. Anyone 12 or under must be accompanied by an adult.

Reservations may be made at the Recreation office. Transportation costs are $2.00 per person.

Santa's Workshop: Santa and his elves are busily preparing their North Pole replica of their famous workshop at St. Dorothy's Church Annex on Main St. next to the church..

Remember the workshop hours so all Wimingtonites may drop in and see true Christmas spirit at work.

Santa and his elves will be starting their Open House on Monday, December 17th with Santa's arrival by fire engine at 6:30 pm.

The workshop will be open Monday through Friday 6:30 to 9:30 pm, December 17th through the 21st and on Saturday, December 22nd from 1 to 5 pm and on Sunday from 1 to 6 pm.

Christmas Trees Around the World: Trees of different lands will be set up and decorated on Saturday, December 8th at Wilmington Memorial Library.

Organizations sponsoring trees include: Woburn St. School with Mrs. Dineen-Lithuania; Special Children with Barbara Coursey-Holland; Women's Club with Julia Fielding-Armenia; Girl Scouts with Mrs. Kaminski-Russia and Swain School with Mr. Medeirva-Sweden.

Trees will be on display through the New Year.

WILMINGTON ADULT HOCKEY

Wed. Nov. 28... Bob Dunlea's goal with eleven seconds left in the game gave Dolly's a 5-5 tie with the winless Flyers. The score was knotted on four different occasions as neither club could really take control of the game. Tom Mazzapica led the Flyers and all scorers with a three goEl "hat trick," while John Trickett tallied his 12th and 13th seasonal markers for Dolly's.

In the nite cap Tony Jankówski turbed his initial shut out of the season, and only the second in WAHL history, as the league leading Runners white washed the Bulldogs, 4-0. Butch Ernst scored the game winner at 10:51 of the opening stanza with Fred Bowen assisting. Other goal getters for the Runners were Dave Haskill, three and four of the season while Ruddy Kent tallied his seventh.

Sun. Dec. 2... Jack Irwin's ninth and tenth goals of the season led the Vikings to a come from behind, 4-3 triumph over Dolly's. The other goal scorers in the game for the winners were Dave O'Connell (sixth) and Joe Carvahlo (first).

WILDCAT TALES

THE WHS GIRLS FIELD HOCKEY TEAM: Was treated to a steak dinner at the Hilltop Restaurant in Saugus, by the boosters Club in appreciation for their excellent season. A portion of the squad is pictured during the dinner. The four girls facing the camera are (l. to r.) Denise Kindred, Leslie Arnold, Tammy Oliveira and MaryAnn Langone. On the left is camera shy Daria McMillan, while Kathy Sullivan and Lori McNabb with their backs to the camera are unaware of the photographer.

Hoopsters Optomistic

With the conference opener only twelve days away Coach DiSarcina's varsity is cautiously optomistic about their chances for the upcoming season. Led by co-captains bob and Doug Stewart the Wildcats expect to be a lot tougher than in other seasons.

Coach DiSarcina believes that Wilmington is extremely fortunate in having two dedicated scholar-athletes in the Stewart boys to lead the club this season. "We still have not set our lineup, stated the Wildcat mentor on Monday afternoon, as the lack of big (tall) men will make it necessary to use all 12 boys in an aggressive type attack. If anyone beats us, they will certainly know they've been in a ball game."

Joining the Stewart's on the varsity are returning lettermen, Ray Noel (6'-0" guard), Tom Woods (6'-3" center) and Bill Eckberg (6'-5" center). Rounding out the club are seniors Jim Buck and Dana Daniell along with juniors Carl Butler, Bob Dorval, Doug McLain, Ralph Peterson and Vin Scifo.

The jayvees will have fourteen boys on the squad this season with Al Stone taking over the coaching chores from Bob Milley, who is on a leave of absence. Nine juniors led by Jim Busby, Dale Martin, Pete McNaughton, Dave Maloney, Dana Roueche, Guy Schiavone, Joe Thomas, Mark West and Paul Cipriani will be joined by five sophomores, Bob Aprile, Scott Gordon, Pete Jensen, Scott MacGillvray, and Marty Tildsley.

This afternoon the varsity will scrimmage Tyngsboro High and then tomorrow evening the Wildcats will tap-off against Andover in the MVC jamboree in Dracut.

Nest Friday, December 14th, Lowell Trade will provide the opposition in the final tune-up prior to the conference opener against Tewksbury on December 18th.

DEAN DEVLIN: Selected by his teamates as the Most Valuable Player of the 1973 Varsity football squad is pictured with his award following the presentation last week.

COACH FRANK LENTINE (left): And assistant Coach Bill Peabody flank the three Wilmington soccer all-stars during Tuesday evening's award dinner at Rocco's Restaurant. John Harrison (second from left), Barry Aruda and Mark Kalkanajian were selected to the Northern League all-star team for this past season. Co-captain Aruda was voted the MVP by his teamates. Wilmington Ford sponsored the dinner and the affair was well received by coaches and players alike.

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REDMEN SCALPINGS

Faculty game opens hoop season

The Junior High School faculty topped the High School faculty 44-41 Friday evening before a packed house in the Tewksbury High School gym.

The game is an annual event as it officially opens the basketball season in Tewksbury.

Money raised at the game will go toward sending many Tewksbury basketball players to summer camp.

The J.H.S. crew, led by freshmen coach Mickey Sullivan and junior varsity mentor Dave Mullen, galloped to a 14-12 lead in the first quarter.

Both clubs concentrated on putting on a fun show for the young crowd, with junior high assistant Principal Tony Terenzi delighting the fans with his 25-foot set shot.

Both teams were playing very little defense with Sullivan dominating play at both ends of the floor.

A basket by High School hockey Coach John Corbett evened the score at 14-14 with 6:34 remaining in the half. The next score didn't come until 4:18 showed on the clock as Sullivan hit a reverse lay-up. The High School managed to outscore their rivals 10-8 in the second quarter behind the driving lay-ups of High School Coach Tony Romano. Three High School steals produced six quick points as the teams dragged themselves off the floor at halftime with a 22-22 tie.

With 4:28 left in the third quarter each squad had managed to score only three points apiece. It remained low scoring as the J.H.S. outscored the High School 9-8 to take a 31-30 lead into the hectic final period. With 4:57 left in the contest the High School held to a slim 35-33 lead. Two lay-ups by the cat-like Sullivan put J.H.S. up at 39-35 with 3:17 left to play. A John Perreault free throw cut the lead to three, but Wayne White, a science teacher at J.H.S. popped one in from 12 feet to make it 41-35.

A J.H.S. free-throw was followed by a three on one break led by Joe Callery of the High School team. His lay-up cut the lead to 42-41 with just 0253 seconds remaining. a J.H.S. stall forced the High School into fouling tactics, resulting in two game ending free throws.

Sullivan and Mullen paced the J.H.S. squad with 21 and 15 points respectively.

The High School outfit was led by Romano with 13 and Perreault with eight.

The gym was full, so many Tewksbury hoopsters should be bettering their talents at a basketball camp this coming summer.

WAHL continued

Leading the Dolly attack were Ed Dunlea (one goal and an assist), John Trickett (14th) and Gerry O'Reilly (second).

In the second game of the twin bill at the Arena, the Runners ran their win streak to six, eight of the last nine, posting a 4-2 verdict over the hapless Flyers. Once again it was the goal tending of Tony Jankowski and the balanced scoring attack which led the league leaders to their ninth seasonal win.

Dave Haskell (fifth), Jim Ciaccio (third), Rich (seventh) and Tony Segnini (first) led the winners, while Dave York and Jim Meehan scored singletons for the winless Flyers.

Mon. Dec. ...The Bulldogs crushed Dolly's, 10-4 behind the scoring of Greg Holden and Howie Collins, three goal hat tricks each, while Tom Delaney, Larry McLaughlin, Frank Mattley and Jim Donahue chipped in with one goal each.

Bob Dunlea, John Trickett, John McLeod and Don Hudson scored single goals for the slipping Dolly's club, which has now gone through six games without a win.

WILMINGTON YOUTH HOCKEY

Intertown action...

Mite A (6-1-1)...Nov. 26. The A's scored their second shutout of the season by oerwhelming Tewksbury 8-0. Goals were well distributed with Ed Harding picking up two goals and two assists and single talles each to J. Brown, K. Smith, J. Robson, P. Brady, J. LaLibate, and J. Newhouse. Goalies P. Gentile and A. Sunnerburg were excellent in preserving the shutout. The defense of R. Durling, J. Wiberg, D. Allard, J. Palmer, B. MacLellan, and R. O'Connell were superb in controlling the Tewksbury attack.

Mite B (7-0-2)...Hustle was the name of the game as the Mite B's remained undefeated drubbing Reading, 3-0 last weekend. Bill Barrett opened up the scoring in the first period assisted by Brian Sughrue. A pass from Jay Barrett set up the second goal as Lance Sullivan fired from the point to put the B's ahead 2-0 in the second period. Kevin Cullivan from Sean Niell completed the scoring in the final frame. Although not scoring, notice must be given to Sean Lowney, Kevin Robinson, Darin Colarusso, Dennis Moran and the Steambomber line.

Mite B Scoring
(as of 12-4-75)

Cullivan	8-9-17
Niell	6-9-15
Sughrue	8-4-12
Barrett	4-2- 6
J. Barrett	0-3- 3
Lowney	2-0- 2
Gunn	1-1- 2
Cornish	1-1- 2
Sullivan	1-1- 2
Robinson	0-2- 2
Kidd	1-0- 1

Squirt A (3-4-2)...Last Sunday the A's defeated Chelmsford 7-2. Wilmington jumped out to a 3-1 lead after one period on the strength of goals by Dave Kidd, Benny Scozzaro and Mark Boudreau. Assists went to Pete Orlando, Rick Zambernardi and Sean O'Donoghue. Scozzaro and O'Donoghue increased Wilmington's lead 5-1 in the middle frame assisted by LaLiberte and Zambernardi. Orlando and Frank Divita added insurance goals in the final period. Wilmington outshot Chelmsford 25-9.

Squirt B (2-6-1)...The younger Squirts were beaten by Chelmsford 4-2 last Sunday at the arena.

Pee Wee A's...Dropped a hard fought game to Somerville, 6-2. The game was tied 2-2 until four minutes remaining in the third period, when Somerville scored four quick goals.

Goal scorers for Wilmington, Robson assisted by Sousa and Bulger and Howell assisted by Ballou and Kidd.

Sun. Dec. 2...Wilmington Pee Wee A's played highly talented Peabody to a 2-2 tie. Wilmington led until 27 seconds remaining in the third period, when Peabody managed to score the tying goal. Marty Kmon scored a goal in the first period assisted by Billy McCann. Wilmington's second goal was fired in by Billy Murphy assisted by Steven Mickles in the second period.

Pee Wee B (4-4-1)...Pete Davey's unassisted goal in the second stanza provided the only score for the B's they bowed to Wakefield 4-1 last Saturday.

Wilmington suffered their second setback in the Tyngsboro League, losing to Westford, 4-1. Wilmington took a 1-0 lead early in the second period on a power play goal by Bob Greenberg with assists going to Jim Burns and Tim McCann, but were unable to answer four second period tallies by Westford. The B's slate now stands at 6-2-0.

Bantam A (3-6-0)...Al Wilson's penalty shot provided the margin of victory as the A's beat a determined Winthrop sextet 2-1, in a game that featured the fine goaltending of Mike Marini. Wilmington's first goal came just 48 seconds into the opening period off the stick of Rich Gunn assisted by Bob Olson and Ken Morse. In the second period Wilson was hauled down from behind and was awarded a penalty shot at 3:26. Winthrop's only tally came in the final frame on the power play.

Bantam B (5-1-1)...The B's drilled Reading, 7-1 on November 28th. Wilmington scored the only game of the opening period off the stick of Steve Foley. In the middle frame the B's broke the game wide open with four goals. Jay Walden, Billy Blaisdell, Mike Carlin, and Tom Gracia scored for Wilmington while Reading managed their only tally. Brian Tighe and Paul Sullivan closed out the scoring in the last period for the 7-1 margin.

The B's improved their Assabet League log to 4-0-0 with wins over Belmont (Nov. 23) and Bedford (Nov. 30). Wilmington slaughtered Belmont 8-1, lead by the "hat trick" of Mike Carlin, two goals by Mike Cracia and single tallies by Paul Godfrey and Billy Blaisdell. George Ravagni turned in a fine job in the nets and now sports a .100 goals against for the season. Ravagni and Vieira teamed up to shut out Bedford 5-0. Two goals each by Mike Carlin and Paul Sullivan gave Wilmington a 4-0 lead after two periods. Todd Richards added one in the final frame to close the scoring.

Next games @ WYIA

Sat. Dec. 8: Pee Wee A vs Beverly Farms (3:20 pm); Mite B vs Arlington (4:30 pm); Pee Wee B vs Billerica (6:10 pm).

Sun. Dec. 9: Squirt B Vs Tewksbury (10:40 am); Squirt A vs Burlington (1 pm).

Mon. Dec. 10: Mite A vs So. Boston (5:10 pm).

Intramural notes...

Sprites...The Spurs snapped their five game losing streak with a thrilling 4-3 win over the Checkers to highlite last Friday's triple header at the Arena. coach Gerry O'Reilly's pucksters won their initial game of the season, while handing the Checkers their fifth consecutive loss. In the other two encounters, the division leading Gulls edge the Blades, 2-1 and the Rockets streaked to their second straight, posting a 6-3 triumph over the Buckaroos. Saturday the Blazers and Buckaroos battled to a 2-2 draw.

Squirts...The Bears whipped the Barons 4-2 behind Bobby Williams' hat trick, while the Americans came from behind to tie the Aces, 2-2 to set the stage for this Sunday's battle for first place. In the other two games played, the Reds slipped by the Voyageurs and the Braves-Clippers encounter ended in a 3-3 tie.

Pee Wees...Coach Joe Murphy's Flyers extended their unbeaten streak to five with a thrilling 1-1 tie with the Kings. The crowd was in a frenzy during this contest as it was up and down the ice with each club pulling out all stops. Meanwhile, the Canucks opened a four point lead over the Flyers with a 2-1 triumph over the Blues. In other action the No. Stars slammed the winless Penquins, 10-4 and the Sabres whipped the Seals, 5-2.

Bantams...The division leading Canadiens topped the Red Wings, 6-2 while the second place Hawks outscored the Rangers, 9-6. Jim Logan paced the Hawks with a three goal hat trick, while teamates Kevin Randall (2), Paul Keough (1), John Foley (2) and Jim Phillips (1) balanced the scoring ledger. Goal tender Greg Washak turned a creditable performance for the Hawks despite Ray Gaud's five goal performance for the Rangers.

Goalie Gary Russa provided the defense for the Canadiens, while Peter Surrette, Bill and Bob Wolley, Jim Milano, John Magar and Joe Ryan scored single goals to lead the offense. Al Lanni scored a pair of markers for the Leafs, while Billy Gallagher tallied a singleton.

Midgets...The bombers rolled to their sixth straight win, clubbing the Jets 6-2 to highlite the weekend action. The Cougars stayed within range of the divisional leaders with a 5-3 win over the Tigers and the Generals topped the Knights, 6-2.

Next games @ WYIA

Fri. Dec. 7: Buckaroos vs Spurs (5:20 pm); Blades vs Roadrunners (6:20 pm); Blazers vs Rockets (7:30 pm); Reds vs Voyageurs (8:40 pm); cougars vs Jets (9:50 pm); Hawks vs Red Wings (11 pm).

Sat. Dec. 8: Blues vs Flyers (8:40 pm); Cougars vs Jets (5 am); Bruins vs Rangers (5 am-Rink 1); Penquins vs Seals (6 am);, Checkers vs Gulls (6 am-Rink 1); Braves vs Reds (7:20 pm); Aces vs Barons (8:30 pm); Canucks vs Kings (9 pm-Rink 1); Generals vs Tigers (9:40 pm); No. Stars vs Sabres (10:10 pm-Rink 1); Bombers vs Knights (10:50 pm).

Sun. Dec. 9: Americans vs Bears (6 am).

Wed. Dec. 12: Bruins vs Red Wings (8:50 pm).

Bits & Pieces
(from page five)

A New Year's Eve Dinner Dance will be held at Austin Prep on Monday, December 31st. Dancing from 9 pm to 1 am to the "Sounds of Music." Dinner will be served at 10 pm. Tickets may be obtained by calling Betty Peters at 658-4260.

For those who may be wondering about the work being done at the Nichols Funeral Home on Middlesex Ave., Wilmington. Willis (Bud) Lyford, owner of the establishment has informed the Town Crier that he intends an addition to the building, but does not intend to change the general post-colonial appearance any more than is absolutely necessary.

Smiling Jim Winston, of Oakdale Rd., Wilmington, proprietor of Winston's Coffee Shop at the North Wilmington Shopping Center is currently a patient at Winchester Hospital. Jim was injured in a fall and underwent surgery on his elbow Tuesday morning.

The news from Boston, Monday morning, was of the burglary of Greek and Roman coins from the Fogg Museum of Harvard - quite a story. One Boston paper, the Globe, went on to record other burglaries of the same type in Boston environs - one of them being the burglary of a group of Civil War rifles, from a museum outside of Boston.

The Wilmington Post of the American Legion had a similar experience, about twenty-five years ago.

John H. Simpson, the last surviving Civil War veteran, of Wilmington and the last surviving member of the Reading Post of the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR) gave to the Wilmington Post of the American Legion the eight Civil War rifles that the Reading Post of the GAR had, for a firing squad.

Those rifles were proudly accepted, and were mounted in the Post Headquarters of the Legion. A few years later someone broke into the Legion Hall and stole those rifles.

They are not the only items about Mr. Simpson to have disappeared. For years, on one of the walls of the Grange Hall there was a picture of Mr. Simpson, who was, it is believed, a Past Master of the Wilmington Grange. That disappeared when the Grange Hall was burned down, by the arsonist.

And, in the Legion Hall, was a picture of a civil War Columbiad (which was a heavy artillery piece) defending Boston Harbor, and of the squad of soldiers who manned that gun. Mr. Simpson was one of those soldiers.

That picture, too, has been stolen.

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By Louis

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by Vern Johnson

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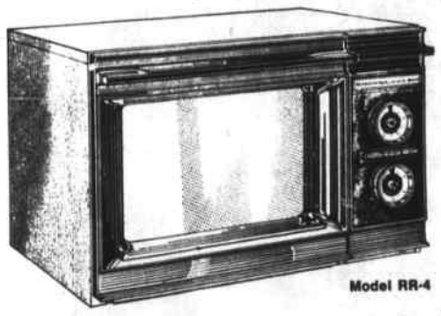

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IT WAS THE TWENTI-FIFTH: And a merry surprise for Barbara and Frank Griffen of the Church Street Hardware, last Sunday. A total surprise party had been prepared for them at the home of Norma Hembree, on Railroad Avenue, with about seventy five friends present.

There was sustenance, there was fun, and there were gifts galore. Frank and Barbara were married in St. Charles Church, in Woburn, on December 5, 1948.

L to R: Barbara, Patti, Frank and Donna Griffen.

Ten Men of Massachusetts

Initiative Petition to control school budgets

An Initiative Petition, to further regulate the support of schools by authorizing a two thirds vote of a municipal legislative body to reduce a school budget is being circulated in the towns and cities of Massachusetts.

The petition is headed by a group of ten men, all in public life, who seek to reduce the powers of school committees to dictate the amount of money that municipalities have to appropriate for school support.

The petition, if there are a sufficient number of validated names of voters, would be on the 1974 ballot as a referendum question. It seeks to make school budgets subject to a two thirds vote of town meetings and city councils.

Heading the list of the "Ten Men" on the Initiative Petition is Walter Kelliher, Mayor of Malden.

Third on the list is James J. Sullivan, City Manager of Lowell. Other names include the Town Manager of Arlington, the Mayor of Everett, and the presidents of the Massachusetts Selectmen's Association and Massachusetts Association of Town Finance Committees.

The petition is being accompanied by some "fact sheets" which state, among other items:

The Massachusetts legislature has never enacted a law giving the school committees autonomy over school budgets, and such autonomy is relatively recent, centering on court decisions made in this century. It is the courts, not the legislature, these men hold, that say that school committees have the absolute power to decide how much school committee budgets should be

Wilmington's Board of Selectmen, last week, signed the petition en masse. It had been brought to the meeting by Mr. Miceli. Mr. Miceli told the Selectmen that he was Wilmington Chairman for the drive.

Public Health Nurse at Drop In Center

AH, YES THERE IS BLOOD THERE! Mrs. Abbie McQuaid, RN, Wilmington Public Health Nurse, checks the blood pressure of Mrs. Martha Lessard of 23 Clark Street.

The Public Health will be at the Wilmington Drop-In Center every Tuesday afternoon at 1:00 pm for the Senior Citizen Health Counseling Service.

Any person with a health or related problem is encouraged to drop in to see the nurse.

In relation to the health counselling service, a gentle exercise program is also being planned for some time in January with a Public Health Nurse practitioner from another area. Anyone interested in this program is invited to call 657-7595

Burlington Mall Carnation Show

Sigfrid Olson swept the show

SIGFRID OLSON: Of Lowell Street Wilmington, and some of his prize winning carnations.

For years, every year, there has been a Carnation Show in Tewksbury. That town, and Woburn, and Lexington are the places where there are a lot of greenhouses, and the shows were always in Tewksbury. A couple of years ago there was a change - the show site was changed to the Burlington Mall, where there would be thousands of people to admire the flowers.

Sigfrid Olson, of Lowell Street Wilmington is well known in the business of growing carnations. He has developed his own varieties, in the forty years he has been in business, and he has been a loyal exhibitor at the Carnation Shows. Once, a few years ago, Siggy, as he is called, won more prizes than anyone else in a show - held in Tewksbury.

But, in Burlington, in the November 28-30 show, Sigfrid Olson literally "swept the show."

Every year there are two silver platters, first prize awards, one from the New England Carnation Growers, and one from the Massachusetts Department of Agriculture. Siggy won both of them, this year - the first florist, it iE believed, ever to do so.

The New England Carnation silver platter was for the best new variety, which is called the Phyl Ann. Siggy is proud of it, and so is the lady for whom it was named, Phyl Ann Hailey of Beacon Street Wilmington. Mrs. Hailey is in charge of the packing house, at Olson Greenhouses.

The Massachusetts Department of Agriculture silver platter (together with a cash award) was for a miniature seedling, called Mary Lou. Mary Lou is Mrs. Bob Martin of Woburn, and Bob Martin was the Olson employee who developed that carnation.

The silver plate from the Mass. Department of Agriculture was given by Nathan Chandler, Commissioner.

There was also a Blue Ribbon - entitled BEST IN SHOW. It was for a carnation named Nora, and was awarded by the Massachusetts Department of Agriculture. The Burlington Mall also awarded Siggy a prize for his Nora.

The fourth First Prize to be won by Siggy was for a beautiful pink carnation, and that award came from the New England Carnation Growers.

In addition Olson was given one second prize, and two third prizes, a total of seven.

Sigfrid, with his brother Einar, have been operating a greenhouse at 68 Lowell Street Wilmington since 1940. Before that he was in Lynnfield and Woburn, for a total of about seven years. Mr. Olson is the only carnation grower in Wilmington.

CHESS IN THE WILMINGTON LIBRARY: Available to all children in grades five to eight, in a Thursday Night Chess Club.

At the near table is Randy Skilling of Lockwood Road and David Collis of Suncrest Avenue who are matching their wits with Mike Michaud of School observing.

Special program by Congregational Choir

The thirty voices of the Congregational Church Choir will present a special musical tribute to Christmas on Sunday, December 9th at 11 am at the Wilmington Congregational Church.

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